

SOCIETY

Society Lends Itself Brilliantly to Several Events of Past Week

Children's Hospital Ball of Monday Night Among Most Interesting—Japanese Reception Is Delightful—Mr. and Mrs. Mann Are Hosts.

BY SALLIE V. H. PICKETT.

SOCIETY was in an interesting mood last week, lending itself brilliantly on many occasions, chief of which were the Children's Hospital ball Monday night, when the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall were the guests of honor; the unusual and interesting reception which the ambassador of Japan and Baroness Shidehara gave at Rauscher's, when the splendid art of judo was shown by Dr. Kano and some of his pupils; the large company entertained at dinner by Representative and Mrs. Mann, and the lively presentation to society yesterday of Miss May I. Govin by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Govin, first at a tea and then a charmingly arranged ball.

THE Vice President and Mrs. Marshall were hosts at two large dinner parties in the presidential suite at the New Willard, and there were dinner companies entertained at the French, British, Polish and other embassies and legations. "At homes" sent hundreds scurrying from place to place leaving cards and making calls in person, Mrs. James A. Reed and Mrs. Selden Palmer Spencer, wives, respectively, of the senior and junior senators from Missouri, solving the question of calling quite admirably by receiving together, and having the wives of representatives from their states assisting, thus giving not only official women a chance to make several calls in one, but extending to the citizens of their state in Washington an opportunity to meet almost the entire delegation.

SUCH things as a dance at the Argentine embassy, the musical ride at the Washington Riding and Hunt Club and the Georgetown assembly are all events of the early part of the week, while Thursday will bring the large reception which the Attorney General and Mrs. Palmer will give for the ambassador to Japan and Mrs. Roland S. Morris. The Vice President and Mrs. Marshall will be guests at a dinner of Senator and Mrs. James A. Reed Saturday evening, while Friday evening will be almost universally given over by society folk to the presentation of plays by the Drama League of Washington, with dancing to follow, as a benefit for the Near East Relief fund. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oxnard will be hosts at a ball Saturday night.

THE Southern Society, the Southern Relief, and, in fact, all southern organizations suffered much in the death of Miss Nannie Randolph Heth, and it was typical of the courage which she evinced through more than thirty years that she should in her last illness direct that the annual Southern Relief ball should not be abandoned because of her health. This fact makes doubly sure the success of the ball February 7, and operations for its entire success are being carried on at 1924 I street by Mrs. Bates Warren, vice president.

EX-SERVICE men, patients at Mount Alto, Garfield, Providence and Casualty hospitals who are still suffering the effects of war will benefit by the two presentations of "Kismet," with Otis Skinner as the star, to be given at Crandall's Knickerbocker Theater Wednesday afternoon, when the handwork of the men will be on exhibition and sale. A number of charming games will be under the direction of the George Baldwin McCoy unit of the American Women's Legion.

Notes of Diplomatic

And Cabinet People

The ambassador of Chile and Senora de Mathieu will entertain at a dance at the embassy Tuesday, January 18. Senora de Mathieu will be at home Fridays in January and February.

The ambassador of Belgium and Baroness de Cartier have issued cards for a musical at the embassy, the evening of January 25 at 10 o'clock.

Baroness de Cartier, wife of the Belgian ambassador, Mrs. Baker, wife of the Secretary of War, Princess Lubomirska, wife of the minister from Poland; Mrs. Michael F. Phelan, wife of the representative from Massachusetts; Mrs. Maurice Egan, wife of the representative from New York; Mrs. Thomas H. Carter and Mrs. Paul Blyden will be among the patronesses for the annual dance of the Washington Chapter of Trinity College alumnae, which will be given on Friday, February 4, in the ballroom of the Willard. Mrs. Penton Bradford is chairman of the ball committee, and is assisted by Miss Dorothy Callahan, in charge of supper arrangements; Miss Margaret Callahan and Miss Meriam Loughlin, in charge of music; Mrs. Vincent Toomey and Miss Florence Leonard, in charge of tickets; Miss Catherine Cowles, and Miss Adelaide Makens in charge of programs; Mrs. Lawrence V. Grogan and Miss Maude Gaynes, in charge of patronesses and publicity; and Miss Isabelle Cain, Miss Mercedes Phelan and Miss Helen Riordan, incidentals.

The Attorney General and Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer have invited society for a reception Thursday afternoon, January 20, from 5 to 7, in honor of the United States ambassador to Japan and Mrs. Roland S. Morris, when their guests will include members of the cabinet, diplomats and others prominent in society. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer have as their house guests over the week end the latter's nieces, Miss Virginia Bartlett of Baltimore and Miss Mary Dixon Norris of Easton, Md. Mrs. Palmer will not be at home next Wednesday afternoon, but will receive Wednesday, January 26.

Mme. Peter, wife of the minister from Switzerland, will receive next Friday, at 2622 16th street.

The minister from the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes and Mme. Grouitch will have as their guest next week Miss Vota Vostitch of Serbia, who spent a fortnight with them recently. Miss Vostitch visited in New York after she was the guest in Buffalo of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Schoellkopf, and will arrive in Washington tomorrow.

Mme. de Cespedes, wife of the minister of Cuba, will be at home the third and fourth Fridays in January and February, at the legation, 2630 16th street.

The new minister from Nicaragua, Dr. Alexandre Cesar, and Senora de Cesar have taken an apartment at 2400 16th street for the winter.

The charge d'affaires of the Netherlands legation, Jonkh. W. H. de Beaufort, has sailed from Holland for New York, and will arrive there next week and come direct to Washington.

Senorita Panchito Joubert has joined her parents, the minister from the Dominican republic, and Senora de Joubert, at the legation, at 1631 Massachusetts avenue.

Mr. R. Leslie Craigie is the charge d'affaires of the British embassy, in the absence of the ambassador, Sir Auckland Geddes, who sailed from New York yesterday on the S. S. Kalserin Auguste for England, where he has been called at the request of his majesty King George to confer with

the prime minister and the cabinet. He will return late in February.

The charge d'affaires of the Netherlands legation and Mme. Hobrecht are in New York for the week end, and will return on Tuesday. They went over to act as joint hosts with the Netherlands chamber of commerce, at the reception on Friday evening, in the Hotel Astor, in honor of Mrs. Willem Mengelberg of Holland, who is making a visit in this country. He has been the "guest conductor" at one or two of the recent symphony concerts in New York since his arrival.

Jonkh. W. H. de Beaufort, counselor of the legation, who has been in Holland on leave of absence since early winter, is expected to arrive in New York on Wednesday, and will come direct to Washington to assume his duties as charge d'affaires of the legation.

The military attaché of the Swedish legation and Countess Bonde will return to Washington the latter part of this month. They have been in their home in Sweden since the latter part of November on a leave of absence.

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MRS. ROSCOE C. DULMER, who has returned to her home here after a visit in New York.

Mrs. P. M. FOLEY, of Indiana. Friend of the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall here for the winter.



MISS KATHLEEN KELLY, of Dublin, Ireland, sister and guest of Mrs. John Joyde Broderick of the British Embassy.



MRS. ULYSSES S. GRANT, 2nd, who is taking an active part in society.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Are Dinner Party Hosts

Mrs. Walter McLellan, Mrs. P. M. Foley and Gen. Pershing Among Those Asked to Meet Justice McReynolds.

The Vice President and Mrs. Marshall entertained a large dinner company in the presidential suite at the New Willard last night in compliment to Mr. Justice McReynolds. Mrs. Walter McLellan, who is the guest of Secretary and Mrs. Meredith, and Mrs. P. M. Foley of Terre Haute, Ind., spending some weeks at the Hotel La Fayette, and Gen. Pershing were of the company.

Mrs. Marshall will observe her regular afternoon at home.

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will be hostess at a dinner on February 2 for the charge d'affaires of the Italian embassy and Signora Brambilla, who will return to Rome shortly after the arrival here of the new ambassador, Mrs. Dimock will also be a dinner hostess on January 26.

Among the out of town guests who will attend the dinner party which the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall will entertain at the New Willard Hotel Saturday night will be Judge and Mrs. A. A. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jamison, all of New York.

The charge d'affaires of the Italian embassy and Signora Brambilla will be hosts at luncheon today at their residence, 2725 Q street, when their guests will include Mrs. E. H. G. Slater, Representative and Mrs. John Jacob Rogers, the minister and counselor of the Polish legation and Mme. Pulaski, Mr. John B. Henderson and Capt. Jean F. J. E. Rigal of the French embassy.

Senator and Mrs. Joseph I. France of Maryland have sent out invitations for a dinner in the presidential suite at the New Willard in honor of the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall.

Mrs. John Allan Dougherty will entertain at luncheon tomorrow in honor of Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall. Later in the afternoon Mrs. Marshall will be the guest of Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh at the concert.

The Hon. Mrs. Erskine, wife of the

British minister to Cuba, who will arrive in Washington tomorrow, to be the guest of Signor and Signora Brambilla until Wednesday, will be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given by her hosts tomorrow evening.

Senator and Mrs. James A. Reed of Missouri have also issued invitations for a dinner in honor of the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall, and will entertain their large company of guests at Wardman Park Hotel.

Mrs. Sanford Taylor Is Hostess at a Tea

Mrs. Sanford Taylor entertained the members of the hospital branch of the Sunshine and Community Society and their friends at an attractive tea on Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Harry O. Cutting, on 18th street. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Taylor, who is president of the branch, welcomed her guests wearing a handsome gown of brocade and silver and was assisted by Mrs. Cutting, wearing a becoming model of blue satin made on straight lines.

Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Hatcher assisted at the tea table.

There was a large assemblage present, comfortably filling the hospitable house.

Board of Lady Visitors Of Children's Hospital "At Home" Tomorrow

Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke, Mr. Alanson Houghton, Mrs. Gary Grayson, Miss Bertha H. Looker and Mrs. Randolph Mason of the board of lady visitors of Children's Hospital will be in the receiving line at the institution tomorrow afternoon for the second "at home" to be held there since the hospital was recently renovated.

The success of the prior affair led the ladies to make the event a monthly occasion for those who contributed to the repairs and equipment last year to see how wisely and how beneficially their donations had been expended. All who visit the hospital will personally escorted through the various wards and rooms, and the inspection tour will be made interesting by a visual demonstration of how the officials are taking care of the sick little ones of Washington.

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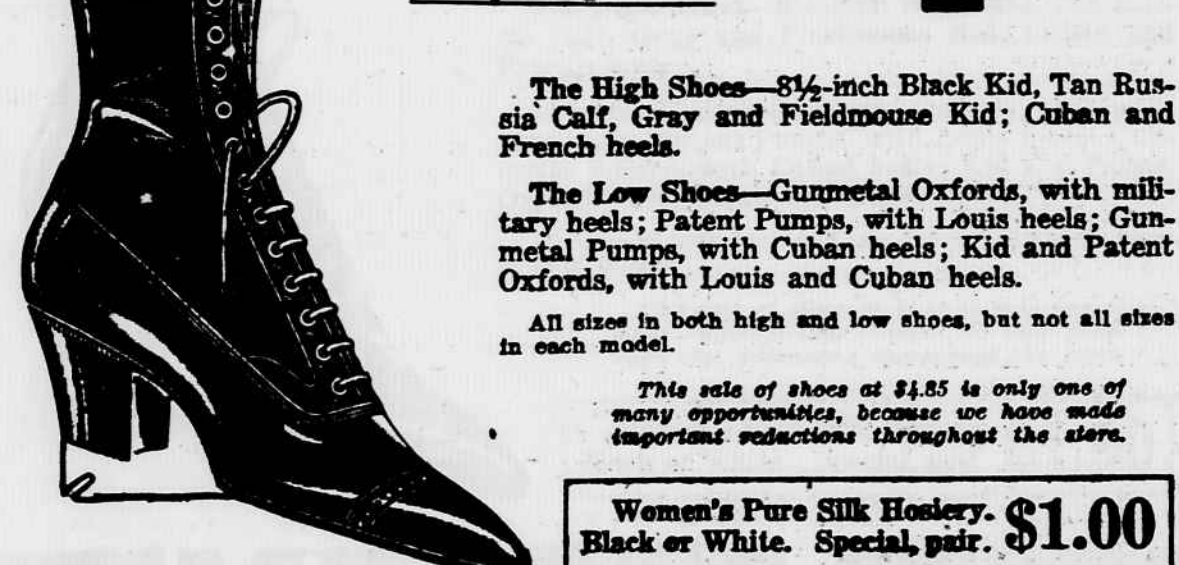
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